

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No.: 09/891,997
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For: LIQUID CRYSTAL DISPLAY APPARATUS
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Examiner: Hoan C. Nguyen

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

The following is a preliminary amendment, which is being submitted concurrently with the filing of a Request for Continued Examination.

This Amendment is filed in response to the Office Action dated May 9, 2007, which provides for a response period ending August 9, 2007.

Application No. 09/891,997
Amendment dated October 31, 2007
Reply to Office Action of May 9, 2007

A Petition for Extension of Time, to extend the response period for the Office Action, dated May 9, 2007, for three additional months to November 9, 2007, is being filed concurrently.

Remarks begin on page 3 of this paper.